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# TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified application.

This Statement is submitted more than three months from the application filing date and after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113, or a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, this Statement is accompanied by:

- [ ] a certification as required under 37 C.F.R.
  § 1.97(e)(1) or § 1.97(e)(2);
- [X] the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this letter is transmitted herewith.

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## Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the following documents:

### U.S. Patent Documents

October 12, 1993 Vogel 5,253,066 Fardeau, et al 5,574,962 November 12, 1996

> Express Mail: EI125453092US

This document is listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate) and a copy is enclosed herewith.

It is respectfully requested that these documents be

(1) fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during
examination of this application; and (2) printed on any patent
which may issue on this application. Applicants request that a
copy of Form PTO-1449, as considered and initialed by the
Examiner, be returned with the next communication.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this patent application is respectfully requested.

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